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## ATTORNEY-GENERAL-CLECT POL-

The people by their suffrages have the masses. the seal of their sovereign

cinie of common endeavor for the com- of the people, short, an opportunity for constructive House will consist of new members, why should not we?

song it is difficult to convince us that of public interest is beating upon leg-such faults lie in "America." The islation as never before. The call of the Revolution, Perhaps our Colonial When A beneather the Revolution, Perhaps our Colonial When A beneather the Revolution and the Revolution of the Revolut ancestors lugged it oved with them, along with the common law of England. Mr. Souneck thinks "America" perhaps too hymnilke and devotional "pervaded too much by a peculiar New England flavor." "Yet these cannot really be considered shortcomings of 'My Country, 'Tis of Thee,' as a national song, and would at all events be outweighed by the great advant-Spangled Banner'" Why does the

# THE TARIFF AND THE POCKET- of It all?

the necessaries of life may be lowthe necessaries of life may be lowtree? By the pending bill, which procertain judge, but the judleary, the
body of ladges, they do not distrust
wheat flow ergs, milk, wood, flax,
To the ben't they almost instructively
raw fure mather, boots and shoes, burn as the mearruptible fountain of
not a good thing to lengthen the days greatly reduced on other necessaries, because but one nort of law is persuant as flours burter, cheese, catment, seived. Distinction between ophemeral life many not be the worthiest ideal."

which these renuctions are contem- judges. Too often the whole judicial How did the successful candidates. plated are produced by our farmers, system is indicted by the improper colebrate? tion is rather rentimental than pract between an unsound statute and a cor. Civil service examinations seem odd

ers, horse rakes, wagons, mowing machines, animals for breeding purposes harness, bagging, binding twine, fertilizers and cream separators.

The measure likewise recognizes the free list articles of American manufacture sold abroad more cheaply than at home and articles entering into competition with trust-controlled products, such as steel rails, sewing mashoe machinery and the products of the American Harvester Company and the Standard Oil Company.

cases the reduction on such articles is less than the average reduction. This follows out the Democratic dectrine that luxuries, and not the necessaries of life, should be taxed.

The free wool provision of the bill will largely edmpensate for the reduced tariffs on woolen cloth and will

upon the principles and the the average purse. The people of the very old at that—when a man opera singer. the foremost rank of enlightened Com- but \$72,000,000, upon which a fair

id abilities, his fidelity and his constructed chiefly from the standzeal to her greater welfare. Confident point of the manufacturer and proof him an uncom- suming public, while the present Demof upbuilding achieve. ocratic tariff bill is shaped primarily honor, but greater in the interest of the consumer, with a careful eye to the interests of the

laws whose enactment will interest the advancement of the common good. far more important than that of for a consulship. All the consuls of the advancement of the common grown.

He faces an opportunity to serve in a those who administer the law, and yet the future will be men who have had change shall be wrought not upon a years; to it is intrusted the ordering greater his knowledge of business law, principle of hostility, but upon a prin- of the social and economic progress the better for him. Consuls hereafter

can be attempted. Many members have been elected on definite platforms and committed to specific reforms in line with progressive policy, but just how many is not yet ascertained. Unague of new members means the fore
are of new members means the fore
was consigned from the Worcester and away from home.

by the parcel post since the establish-an arch-enemy of civilization.

If the gentleman who called upon me does not want to pay me any-thing for my car, he can have it for nothing, provided he will sign a containing the ashes of Mrs. J. Fisher Stoddard, a former resident of Rockford. The can are of new members means the fore
was consigned from the Worcester am away from home.

With the intelligence necessary to candidate for the office he cought also to be determined on the same sentence, he criticized his optonent for having been "selected as Mayor of Ginter Park at a conference of the same sentence, he criticized his optonent for having been "selected ought also to be determined by the same sentence, he criticized his optonent for having been "selected ought also to be determined by the same sentence, he criticized his optonent for having been "selected ought also to be determined by the same sentence, he criticized his optonent for having been "selected ought also to be determined by the same sentence, he criticized his optonent for having been "selected ought also to be determined by the same sentence, he criticized his optonent for having been and committed to specific reforms in the grand of the same sentence, he criticized his optonent for having been and committed to pay me any the same sentence, he criticized his optonent for having been and committed to specific reforms in the condition.

If the gentleman who called upon me does not want to pay me any the same sentence, he criticized his optonent for having been and committee to the same sentence, he criticized his optonent for having been and committee to the same sentence, he criticized his optonent for having been and committee to the same sen religious convention in Buffalo on the score that it does not "embody the lofty sentiments of the Declaration of Independence and of our Constitution," and Counties, Cities and Towns are in

out of Baltimore, where lived Francis Vital problems press hard upon it for Regular postage account of ours as Britainis, because it antedates bever existed, and will not exist so we suppose. wise and advanced laws for the State, do not know how to punctuate. it shall have done all that could reasonably he required of it. Of the mak- From the mayoralty of Ginter Park duals-pass like shadows, but the Com- cally, however, monwealth is fixed and stable."

Virginia If that ideal be the star the White House pantry. that guides its course, straightway

ing song entitled "To Anacreon in longer n subject for public discussion the United States no postal money orifeaven ? Each song will hold its own. Substitute after substitute has been offered for each only to fall into forgetfulness. The two anthems novations aimed at the foundation of the summer school of the Uni-

How do the Lemocrats propose to this movement to take hold permaterists that the cost of healty upon the popular mind, beacalls, spikes and a great right and justice. The principle of ar-cryshy articles be put on bitration is a principle of immunicality.

ciary. Here is a case in point. the most progressive States in the nation there is being secured or has already been secured such amendment of primary laws as will make law Democratic pledge to place upon the judges the ultimate judges of right and wrong and justice in the primaries. The old system was to make the institution of last resort a party committee largely composed of persons openly biased and utterly ignorant of the principles of law. Behold, the people have tried this system and found it wanting. To whom do they instantly turn? The judiciary of the land. The people feel that such matters must be decided not by majorities, but by a third higher source, a cold, impartial tribunal. Law is not to be decided on ayes and noes, for law is fixed and immutable because truth is fixed and because to-day I was called upon by sciously, the people realize these

> THE NEW STANDARD FOR CONSULS. Consulships are not the berths for were. In the old days-and not so ture it was the custom to give him a com- alone fortable sinecure in the form of a consulship. His sole duties were to be silent as the nightfall on a plications and sign such routine papers as his clerks drew up. But the imitates all of the aufmals, lay of consular sinccures is fading. among whom they dwell. The merit vice, and the man who wishes to enter

This fact is so thoroughly York will give courses of study glimpse mon glory of Virginia. He faces, in The indications are that half the quires that her consuls be such now; are to be business men. Germany re- to start

heen allered that the movement comes tunity of the House greater than now, grandfather in an adjoining town, and washboard for a birt

criticism may be directed at the melo. The time is for initiative, for con- afternoons in a most satisfactory mandy, which is identical with that of Structive power, and for noble vision, mer, which need not be described," says God Save the King," Oscar Souncek Of the new House much is expected, Dr. R. H. Pitt in a Washington letter points out in the New York Tribune, but the dimitations that hedge it are however, that the latter air is as much many. The ideal legislative body has

When a legior of different views and form to place punctuation marks of principles clash, compromise is in-evitable and conciliation desirable. If fashion journal. Doubtless this rethe House thall enact a few sound, form was started by people who do

ing of laws there is no end; all laws to the attorney-generalship of Vircannot be evolved at once. "Indivi- ginia is a long jump. Not geographi-

The highest hope that any man can Bryan is putting up preserves, doubthold for the House of Delegates is less she will set aside some of the that it shall legislate for Virginia, hot very finest jars of translucent apple this part and that of Virginia, but all jelly and sugary blackberry jam for

Oklahema farmers are making a fad feminine whice make its singing odd" INSTINCTIVE POPULAR TRUST OF predicts that within a few years peaof planting peanuts, and one enthusiast The controversy is fruitless. If
"America" is objected to because it is
"too hymnelice," what about the melobeyond the horizon of defeat has Noly wants to be a sort of second Eastern ly wants to be a sort of second Eastern

are impedded in the hearts of the novations aimed at the foundation of the institutions of the institutions of the fathers. Who knows but that we have heard the last of it all?

not a good thing to lengthen the days age the ambition of would-be cenicnarians. He said that "a low death rice, sugar, cotton cloths, woolens, law unfounded on truth and sternal lie meant that some people may live hose, dressed lamber and paper. Law founded upon truth is uncommon. Of course, many of the articles upon. So it is also with reference to the which there are the state of the state of

tical. To counterparament this, the Under rupt judge is perfect.

derwood bill centains the farmers' Yet whatever their doubts, whatfree list, removing all duties from are ever their misinformation, the people plumber with Uncle Sam was asked if ticles such as plays harvesters, reap- possess inherent confidence in the justs he could teach music and drawing.

# On the Spur of the Moment

By Roy K. Moulton

The Diary of a Bonchead, I don't blame the man who sold me the second-hand automobile, you know, Not in the least. He has got to make a living somehow, and selling secondhand automobiles to innocent bystandrobbing orphan asylums or doing sec ond-story work in a fashionable resi-dential district.

It is not a second-hand automobile There are no second-hand automobiles in the world. They are either "used" automobiles or "rebuilt" If I remember rightly, tomobiles. I am setting this down in my diary

immutable. Consciously or uncon- a gentleman who may buy it, paying me almost one-half what it cost me After I sell it my wife is going to

have a new suit, coat, pants and vest

since I owned the automobile. A second-hand automobile is a crea in my car it will hum along the prominent socially, avoid involving prairie. But as soon as I get a friend the United States in international comhideous

- I'm glad I'm not a statesma. For I can talk all day, And no one criticizes
- And no one criticizes
  A single word I say.
  I go and that the country,
  I tamble and I roam,
  And no newspapers tell me
  I'm paid to stay at home,
  Nobody gets excited
  When I shout of my mount
- When I shoot off my mouth, And thinkers don't harpoon r East, West, North and South,
- They do not buzz around me And add unto my cares
- By openly discussing My personal affairs
- I do not have to squander Five times what I am paid
- To entertain the diplomats
  Of every name and grade.
  They don't present my features
- In cartoons that are pert.
- And harp on truths that hurt, I'm glad I'm not a statesman,

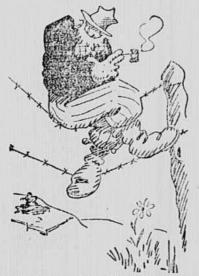
# He's welcome to his job, Unknown to fame, I like n I'd rather be a lob.

## FLIES!

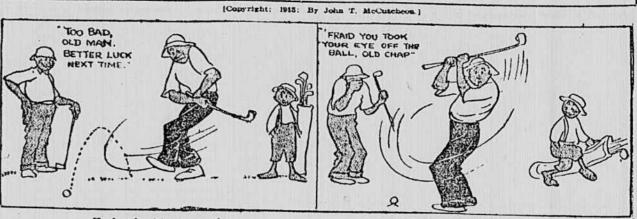
hatching place for flies. It can be made sterile with coal

off, earbolic acid, copperas water or dry loam by mixing thoroughly. Horsemen, stablemen, owners of horses and sanitary inspectors, pay attention! Cut this out. Let 1913 be a flyless year-

## Abe Martin



## THE GREAT RENUNCIATION AND THE QUICK RECOVERY. By John T. McCutcheon.



HOW, WOULDN'T

WOULD GO



He finds the bad spots unerringly.

He gets into trouble.



## Voice of the People

man will in time recover her stand on the high pedestal on which God placed her," but from which she was long ago deposed in order to serve selfish ends. Perhaps Mr. Cumming has been too busy studying law and running for office to remember that the subordinate position of woman in past centuries was not the work of the Lord. It had its root in the organization of uncivilized society, its heginning in wife-capture among savage men (later in wife-purchase), and was established before man had developed the conception of one God. Out of this condition of society, in which the eldest male was the absolute lord and master of all his descendants, naturally arose the ideas of monarchical government, a religion that represented the Almighty or an his descendants, naturally arose the ideas of monarchical government, a religion that represented the Almighty as a mascuine Deity, Lord and Ruler, and the inferiority of women.

Through the evolution of civilization,

the progress of science, the develop-ment of human thought, and the great economic changes, the race has been gradually freeing itself from this old habit of the domination of one individual or of one class over another, vidual or of one class over another, the idea of

The democracy is of the people, for the people, by the people. If women are people, there is no true democracy in which they have no part. ve no part. GRACE VERNON.

"Green Oysters." To the Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir.—In your issue of the 26th, you reproduced a clipping from the Mathews News-Reporter in reference
Mathews News-Reporter in reference to "green cysters" There is a particular phase of this question to which I would like to invite your attention, and if possible secure your approval. and co-operation. I have tried, though unsuccessfully, to reach the proper authorities by one channel, but if the unfamiliary to reach the proper authorities by one channel, but if the virginian Books. authorities by one channel, but if the press of the State will take it up I am sure the idea can be pushed through. The idea which I desire to submit is this, viz.: That the health and pure food authorities of the United States

Virginian Hooks.

Please give me the name and address of some reliable dealer who will probable by buy a lot of old books mainly descriptive of Virginia.

MRS. E. T. P.

or cure, either by changing the methods of oyster culture or handling

## Gloucester Point, Va.

oughfare in London between Hyde Park ment (Piccadilly House) which stood in the Haymarket in the time of Charles I. The western part of Piccadilly was

Charlotte, N. C.; 12 West Fifty-fourth Street, New York City.

Th' worst thing about filtrin' is that you're liable t' git married. You'd never know some folks had been on a vacation if they didn't come back.

Thought the green of the United States government should investigate the green oyster and determine as exhaustively as it can if the green oyster is a fit or unfit article of food. And the proper department should investigate the cause of the greenness and see also would have to furnish postage.

## VIEWS OF THE VIRGINIA EDITORS

ing whether Mr. Cumming is like many others of his class, who eagerly accept whatever a woman can or will do to advance their political interests, but who deny to her, the fruits of her efforts. They do not hesitate to call on a woman to lobby, to solicit votes and ic do other things for individuals or for the great political parties. It does not hurt her to do the actual work of politics, but it unsexes her to drop a ballot into a box!

In the face of this, such protestations as that of Mr. Cumming impress the thoughful person as merely a play to the gallery, an appeal to the prejudices of a certain part of his audience; hotair rhetoric, intended to supply the lack of real argument. Certain individuals under certain circumstances experience the benefit of the chivalry that fairly aches through Mr. Cumming's mobble declarations. But every well-informed person must admit that, among us, women as a class occupy practically a distinctly subordinate position in many important respects.

It is through equal suffrage that woman will in time recover her stand on the time spects.

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Assured may larger knowledge could of expound of the times and other.

Assured may larger knowledge could in a counted to supply fair to the correst that they should the country? It is different many of the times and other.

The multitudes ran counter to my the time with the supply fair to the voters take their measure. To the contrary, It is different many of the times and other.

The multitudes ran counter to my the time face of the kind of publicity that deep the wing.

The multitudes ran counter to my the time with the safer to my the kind of publicity that deep the wing.

The multitudes ran counter to my the time with the safer to my the conditions and the record of light many country's glove. It is the kind of publicity that deep the wing for the page.

The multitudes ran counter to my the country is the face of this safe, and the voters in the f

of patriot and sage; nor caring aught, Nor conscious of their country's exigence.

I bore the spiteful fling of destiny With what serene philosophy I might—
Or hopefully the mood, or heavily—
That time would heal my country's serious pilght.

Events and years in ever changing guise Passed in procession like a marching throng.
Until I saw—unspeakable surprise—
The multitude was right, and I was wrong.

B. G. M.
Savannah, Va.

OUERIES &
ANSWERS

Piccadilly,
Will you be good enough to inform me what the Century Dictionary says about the word "Piccadilly." A. P.
Piccadilly, From the picardils, small, stiff coliars affected by the gallants of the time of James I.; the great thoroughfare in London between Hyde Park corner and the Haymarket. The street

Election Reform Advocated.

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We agree with The Times-Dispatch that the demand for more efficient primary and election laws is urgent and widespread, and if the next General Assembly is responsive to the wishes of the people it will not fall to act on this matter. The way has been pointed out, and no member who values his future political career can afford to obstruct the path which leads to honest primaries and elections. The need of action is apparent to every one, and this need should be emphasized by the press from now until the Legislature convenes.—Fredericksburg Star.

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